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Letter of Appeal, Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
FCC Office of the Secretary
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

RE: CC Docket No.02-06

Applicant Form Identifier: ns471-a
Form 471 Application Number: 597801
Fax Case # 21-694309 -appeal fax
Entity # 64725
Service Provider #143014704 Telephone Associates
Reimbursement form Number NSCS07-BEAR1
Funding Year 2008 Form 471: 7/01/2008 Postmarked outside of window

I am making an appeal to the FCC on behalf of North Shore Community School seeking approval for the fully funded year of 2008 in the amount of \$6,821.81. On review of the explanation and dates involved, you too will find good faith was put forth in every effort to comply with filing window guidelines.

This is to address the Funding Year 2008: 7/01/2008 Postmarked outside of window. I have taken over as Technology Coordinator and handling the USAC request for funds by Derek McCorison on behalf of North Shore Community School. I started this position on August 15th, 2008 when Mr. McCorison abruptly left NSCS.

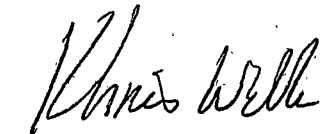
In going through paper work I found that there was an unresolved issue in our request for funding and that Mr. McCorison felt that his fax listed above, #21-694309 resolved the outside of the window appeal. I found a notice dated May 7th, 2008 from USAC explaining that the postmarked on 2/08/2008 was after funding year 2008-2009 filing window closed at 11:59pm EST on Thursday, February 7, 2008. This error resulted because of Browser incompatibility not known or explained by the USAC.

In addition the letter led Derek to believe that the application 471 would be pending final review of applications that were filed, and that he had a 60 day window to appeal this decision. He did not appeal the decision a second time, as he felt that his explanation that he faxed Case # 21-694309 -suited the request of explanation and an appeal.

Please consider this appeal on behalf of North Shore Community School for approval for the fully funded year of 2008. Based on good faith and circumstances, with every effort to comply with filing window guidelines, we hope you will reconsider and review the effort to submitted the form 471 on 01/03/2008 and that corrections were made online with only the signed copy pending.

I include with this letter a copy of the fax Case #21-694309.

All attention to this matter is greatly, greatly appreciated!



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North Shore Community School

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February 8, 2008

Entity Number: 64725

Entity Name: North Shore Community School

Contact: Derek McCorison

Phone: 218-525-0663

Fax: 218-525-0024

E-Mail: dmccorison@northshorecommunityschool.org

471 Application Number: 597801

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Description of problem:

Oracle ODBC Error: missing expression in

http://www.sl.universalservice.org/FY3_Form471/FY8_Block4_471.asp

I ran into this problem when filing my Form 471, adding a FRN to block 5. I attempted multiple times to resubmit but continued to get this error message repeatedly.

Today I attempted to resubmit again and got the same error message. Someone suggested that I try to use the latest Internet Explorer instead of our normal browser (FireFox). I was able to complete my block 5 and submit my application using Internet Explorer.

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Name: Derek McCorison

Title: Technology Coordinator

Signature:



Schools and Libraries Division

**FUNDING YEAR 2008 FORM 471
POSTMARKED OUTSIDE OF WINDOW**

May 7, 2008

Derek McCorison
NORTH SHORE COMMUNITY SCHOOL
5926 RYAN RD
DULUTH, MN 55804-9672

Re: Applicant's Form Identifier: ns471-a
Form 471 Application Number: 597801

Dear Derek McCorison:

We're sending this letter to thank you for your recent Form 471 application. Your Form 471 application was postmarked on 02/08/2008, which is AFTER the Funding Year 2008-2009 filing window closed at 11:59 p.m. EST on Thursday, February 7, 2008.

Program rules require us to hold your application pending final review of those applications that were filed within the filing window. We will post an announcement on the USAC website at www.usac.org/sl once we determine if funding applications that were submitted within the application filing window will fully utilize all the funds available for this Funding Year.

For more information about the processing of pending applications, about funding for applications filed after the close of the filing window or about plans for future Funding Years, please visit our website or call the Client Service Bureau at 1-888-203-8100.

TO APPEAL THIS DECISION:

If you wish to appeal a decision indicated in this letter, your appeal must be received by USAC or postmarked within 60 days of the date of this letter. Failure to meet this requirement will result in automatic dismissal of your appeal. In your letter of appeal:

1. Include the name, address, telephone number, fax number, and (if available) email address for the person who can most readily discuss this appeal with us.
2. State outright that your letter is an appeal. Include the following to identify the decision letter and the decision you are appealing:
 - Appellant name,
 - Applicant or service provider name,
 - BEN,
 - Application number 597801 as assigned by USAC,
 - "Funding Year 2008 Form 471 Postmarked Outside of Window Letter,"AND
 - The exact text or the decision that you are appealing.
3. Please keep your letter to the point, and provide documentation to support your appeal. Be sure to keep a copy of your entire appeal, including any correspondence and documentation.

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FORM 470 RECEIPT NOTIFICATION LETTER
(Funding Year 2008: 07/01/2008-06/30/2009)

January 22, 2008

Derek McCorison
NORTH SHORE COMMUNITY SCHOOL
5926 RYAN RD
DULUTH, MN 55804-9672

Re: Form 470 Application Number: 919940000656568
Applicant's Form Identifier: NS470-A
Billed Entity Number: 54725
Date Form 470 Posted: 01/03/2008
Allowable Contract Date: 01/31/2008
Corrections Due by: 02/11/2008

Very important #

This is your notification that the above Form 470, "Description of Services Requested and Certification Form," and related Certification have been received by USAC.

Attached to this RNL is a Report summarizing what information you provided to USAC for the above Form 470, "Description of Services Requested and Certification Form," 919940000656568. Also included are advisories to assist you in appropriate use of the Form 470 to establish funding requests on your Form 471.

Please review this Report carefully to verify that the information accurately reflects your request. You are allowed to correct certain errors on your form but not others. The Report indicates if a correction to a field is allowed.

- If a correction to a field is allowed, follow the instructions below to submit your correction to USAC.
- If corrections are not allowed, you must file a new Form 470.
- It is, therefore, critical that you review and take the appropriate corrective action as soon as possible.

Please note that this letter provides the notice required by the Bishop Perry Order (FCC 06-54, released 5/19/2006), permitting you to review and make allowable corrections to your Form 470 by 02/11/2008. To make an allowable correction, please do the following:

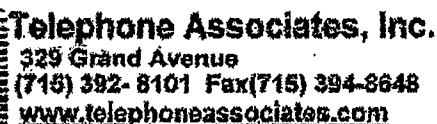
- Verify that the allowed correction can be made through the RNL correction process. Any non-allowed corrections submitted through the RNL correction process will not be made.
- Make a copy of your report and indicate on the copy any allowable corrections in the spaces indicated.
- Sign the copy and include your name, title, contact information, and date.
- Submit the copy to the address posted on the Form 470 RNL page on our website.
- Corrections must be submitted no later than 02/11/2008.
- Retain a copy of the RNL and any submitted corrections.

FCC Form 471	Do not write in this area.	Approval by OMB 3060-0806
Schools and Libraries Universal Service Description of Services Ordered and Certification Form 471 Estimated Average Burden Hours per Response: 4 hours This form asks schools and libraries to list the eligible telecommunications-related services they have ordered and estimate the annual charges for them so that the Fund Administrator can set aside sufficient support to reimburse providers for services. Please read instructions before beginning application. (You can also file online at www.sl.universalservice.org .) The instructions include information on how to complete this application.		
Applicant's Form Identifier (Create your own code to identify THIS form 471) ns471-a		Form 471 Application# 597801 (To be assigned by administrator)
Block 1: Billed Entity Information (The "Billed Entity" is the entity paying the bills for the service listed on this form.)		
1 a Name of Billed Entity NORTH SHORE COMMUNITY SCHOOL		
2 a Funding Year: July 1, 2008 Through June 30, 2009 Billed Entity Number: 64725		
4 a Street Address, P.O. Box, or Routing Number 5926 RYAN RD		
City DULUTH		
State MN Zip Code 55804 9672		
b Telephone Number 218-525-0063 c Fax Number --		
5 a Type of Application <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Individual School (individual public or non-public school) <input type="checkbox"/> School District (LEA; public or non-public [e.g. diocesan] local district representing multiple schools) <input type="checkbox"/> Library (including library system, library outlet/branch or library consortium as defined under LSTA) <input type="checkbox"/> Consortium <input type="checkbox"/> Check here if any members of this consortium are ineligible or non-governmental entities		
6 Contact Person's Name Derek McCorison		
First, if the Contact Person's Street Address is the same as in Item 4, check this box. <input type="checkbox"/> If not, please complete the entries for the Street Address below.		
b Street Address, P.O. Box, or Routing Number 5926 RYAN RD		
City DULUTH		
State MN Zip Code 55804 9672		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> c Telephone Number 218-525-0063 <input type="checkbox"/> d Fax Number --		
<input type="checkbox"/> e E-mail Address dmccorison@northshorecommunityschool.org		
f Holiday/vacation/summer contact information		



Entity Number 64725

Applicant's Form Identifier ns471-a



Customer is responsible for any and all calls made on its assigned telephone numbers, access and authorization codes. Customer understands there may be a charge from the local telephone company for each line upon conversion of service. Customer understands local exchange lines currently billed by local central office become the responsibility of Telephone Associates, Inc. and may vary in costs and features.

LIMITATION OF LIABILITY - TAI shall not be liable to Customer for any incidental, indirect or consequential damages, but not limited to any loss of use, loss of business or loss of profit. Any TAI liability to Customer for damages of any kind under this agreement shall not exceed in amount the sum equivalent to the applicable out of service credit under the governing tariff and/or catalog/price list. Remedies under this agreement are exclusive and limited to those expressly described herein.

DIRECTORY LISTING - Customer's name, address, phone number and any other information listed on this agreement is certified as correct by the Customer. It is understood and agreed the Customer's white page directory listing will appear using that information on local telephone company directory. It is Customer's sole responsibility to inform TAI in writing of any change in the information including telephone numbers or address at least 90 days prior to the local telephone company directory issue date which will be provided to the Customer upon request. TAI assumes no liability whatsoever for errors in listing and customer releases TAI from any damages for any error in the directory listing.

MOST FAVORED CUSTOMER - In the event comparable products and services with identical terms and conditions become available from a competitor after the term of this agreement is initiated, TAI may elect to match those products or services or transition Customer to a different TAI product or service matching the current terms of the contract. If TAI is unable to match or transition Customer to a different TAI product or service, the Customer will be released from this agreement without any terminating charge.

TERM - The term of this agreement shall begin on the service activation date and remain in effect for the term as specified. Terms plans automatically renew for successive terms equal in length unless the customer provides written notice of intent to terminate within 30 days prior to the end of the current term. If terminating service prior to the term expiration customer shall reimburse TAI within 30 days an amount equal to the average monthly usage and line rates times the number of months remaining in the agreement. In all cases, when the agreement is prematurely terminated, the customer agrees that the telephone numbers in service with TAI will not be released to another service provider until all charges owed to TAI are paid in full. Any dispute by the customer with respect to bills must be provided in writing within six months from the date on the bill, or the bill must be deemed correct and binding on the customer.

Please List All Local Lines separately (including fax, modem, lines in hunt, etc.):

☒ Long Distance

☐ **Residential Service**

1. (218) 525-0663
2. (218) 529-1438
3. (218) 525-0024
4. (218) NEW LINE
5. (218) NEW LINE
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Contact

BASIC BUSINESS LINE RATE 34.05 (Line EAS)
(Excluding normal taxes and surcharges)

OUTBOUND RATE PLAN **.05** /Minute

INBOUND (800) RATE PLAN _____ /Minute

TRAVEL CARDS */Minute*

TERM PLAN **36** MONTHS

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